COMMUNICIAL.

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 20, 1856.

Since our last issue a large auction sale of merchandize took place at the store of B. W. Field, the total amount of which must have been \$12,000 or over. The variety of goods exposed was large, and we noticed that the sale was well attended by our merchants and by the Chinamen, and a good degree of competition manifested. Since that sale the arrival of the Ceylon has placed in the market some 1200 tons fresh merchandise which will no doubt return a fair profit. Several other merchant vessels are now due, and are locked for daily.

Sugar, syrup, molasses, wheat and firewood, have come in by consters very freely during the past two weeks, and should the advices by the Yankee be favorable, a considerable export of the former articles will probably be made by her.

OUR SAN FRANCISCO CORRESPONDENCE. SAN FRANCISCO, August 8th, 1856. The following vessels have arrived from your Port, the latest

dates being to July 7th per Falkenberg, July 12, bark Gen Wool, 30 days passage

> " 13 " What Cheer, 38 ** # 25 " Yankee, 1) "

" 25 " J. A. Falkenberg, 10 days passage " 27 brig Ellenita,

The excitement noticed in our last has caused a total absence of speculation, and only the legitimate business, necessary to supply the wants of the country has been done. The following elipper ships have arrived from Eastern Domestic Ports, since our last.

118 days from New York, Young Am 110 " North Wind, Neptune's Favorite, 112 days from Boston.

Our exports of flour continue heavy. To Australia, 198,181 qr sacks have been shipped, beside 29,835 whole sacks, of wheat, during the past 6 or 7 weeks, while 4 barks and 1 clipper ship of 1500 tons capacity, are loading for there. Our crop which is being harvested and rapidly coming in, proves an abundant yield, 300,000 bbls in advance of early estimates, which amount is a surplus above our requirements, and must seek a market by export. The wheat is free from smut and superior in quality to past years. This year 275 bu wheat turn as much flour as 320 6 bxs coffee mills, I box cod lines, 3 c sks crockery, 8 crates bu last year.

We learn by the arrival of the bark Neptune, Capt. Jas. M. Green, Aug. 4th off a 7 mos cruise, last from Mount St. Elias ships were heard from were doing little. Many ships were bound through into the sea of Kamtschatka to take whales there in Aug. and Sept. Our stock of whale oil has received considerable additions by late arrivals from the whaling grounds, and from small lots coastwise (which we are liable to expect at any time) as follows :-1278 bbis whale, 630 bbls sperm, 60 bbls ele- 2 pkgs leather, 1 case boking glasses, 2 cs lead pipe and sheet hant, the above with about 700 bbls different lots, mostly California oil, and 50 bbls sperm, will be shipped to New York on the Mary S. Sutton, (1450 tons register) the present price of oil

Chinese emigration continues unabated, the following vessels have arrived from China and Manila, bringing 1169 additional passengers, making a total of 4017 for the last seven weeks.

> 21 days from China Salp Caribbean " Hamilton. Bk Jan Hendrick, 61 " Sarah Warren, " Thersesa Teny, " S. H. Waterman, 123 days from Java " Theresa, 75 16

" A. A. Eldridge Our gold fields continue to yield heavily, the exports of gold have reached about seven Millions of dollars the past seven

By the Yankee to sail early on the 9th, a large mail of fifteen | bottles, 80 pkgs woodenware, 8 willow wayous. bags goes forward. The Ettenita is up to sail Aug. 12, but will not be able we think to get away before the arrival of the Mail from New York, July 20, in which case she will take it, provided no provious opportunity offers. We look for the Fanmy Major in about ten days, and she will probably return about

Referring to prices currentherewith for general market report, and to files of papers for full particulars of the hanging of Brace and Hetherington by the Vigilance Committee.

Sau Francisco Markets. THURSDAY EVENING, August 7, 1856. FLOUR-1200 qr sacks domestic and 600 do do sold at \$7 25, 300 do do at \$7 50, 450 do do and 200 do Magnolia at \$8, 300 do, 350 do Eowler's self-raising at \$10, 80 cases Suffolk Mills sold in lots at \$13, 150 bbls Richmon 1 at \$15, various lots.

We remain &c.

MEAL AND BRAN-35 bbls sweet Eastern.com meal sold at \$9 12}, 40 half barrels do do at \$1 62}, 5 tons bran at \$10. WHEAT-600 bags old Wheat sold at 2jc, 375 do do, and 250

POTATOES-Sales of 910 bags, in 1 its, at the following rates: -200 bags and 40 do sold sold at 25, 400 do in two lots at 21c.

SUGAR -70 bbls crashed sold at 142, 50 do do at 152, 100 half bbls Sandwich Islands sold at auction at 9 jc.

CODFISH-25 drums sold at 71c. RICE-10,000 fb China No. 1 sold at 6jc. CRANBERRIES-150 kegs sold at 874c P gallon. GRPENTINE-Sale of 200 cases at 60c

CANDLES-Sale of 600 boxes first quality A lamantines at 23

NAILS-300 kegs assorted sizes sold at 4c.

LATEST DATES, received at this Office.

San Franci						-	-	-	Aug.	9
Panama, N	. 6								July	15
New York,	100	- *		140		2			July	5
London -									June	27
Paris ·	-		1	1					June	20
Hongkong		-	-		-				June	20
Sydney, N.	S.	W.					1		June	18
Tabiti		-			Н.		-40		July	

Ships Maile.

For San Francisco, per Vaquero, uncertain. For Lahaina, this day and Saturlay. For Kona, per Haalilio, about Saturday.

PORT OF HONOLULU, H. I.

ARRIVALS.

Aug. 14-Sch Mary, Foss, from Kawaihae Hawaii. 16-Sch Ka Moi, Hobron, from Lahaina and Kahului, with 16-Sch Kamehameha, from Kahului, with sugar and sgrup.

17-Am. ship Ceylon, Bassett, 123 days from Boston, with assorted cargo radge to B. W. Field. 19-Br brig Imperial, Clough, 29 days from Tahiti, with cargo of wheat from Chili. 19-Schooner Haalilio, from Kona, Hawaii, via Lahaina. 29-Sch Favorite, Riviere, from Kahului direct.

20-H. B. M. ship Havanna-50 days from Punta Areuas 20-Am bark Yankee, Smith, 94 days from San Francisco. 21-Sch Rialto, King, from Lahaina

DEPARTURES.

Aug. 13-Sch Kamamalu for Hilo, Hawaii. 14-Sch Kinoole, Morse, for Kona, Hawaii. 14-Sch Keoni Ana, Taber, for Koloa, Kanai. 15-Sch Kekauluohi, for Lahaina and Kona, Hawaii. 16-Sch John Dunlap, Candage, for Lahaina. 16-Sch Mary, Foss, for Kawaihae, Hawaii. 16-Sch Liholiho, Thurston, for Lahaina and Hilo, Hawaii. 16-Am brig Glencoe, Carlton, for Pugets Sound.

18-Sch Rialto, King, for Lahaina. 26—Sch Kamchameha, Gulick, for Kahului. 19—Sch Ka Moi, Hobrou, for Lahaina and Kahului.

MEMORANDA. The clipper ship reported in sight as we went to press las week, passed our port without reporting herself. She was probably a San Francisco ship bound to China.

The iron schooner Alice, has been purchased by Wm. Rye, and will be run as a coaster among the Islands. The clipper bark Messenger Bird, was to leave Boston, for this port, July 20, consigned to B. W. Field, having been purchased and refitted expressly for the Honolulu line of packets.

VESSELS IN PORT.-AUG. 20.

II. B. M. Ship Havana. Fr brig of war Alcibiade, Capt. de Marigny. Am wh bark George, Downs, (in charge of the Marshal.) Am schooner Vaquero, Newell, soon for San Francisco. Am wa ship Zenas Codio, Rose, recruiting. Am bark Yankee, Smith, discharging.

Lying in the Roals. Peruvian ship Grimanesa, soon for Hongkong. British brig Imperial, Clough, soon fer S. F.

Coasters in Port.

Schooner Alice. " Favorite.

Krull & Moli.

Rialto.

Sch Kamehameha from Kahului, Saturday.

Movements of Consters. Sch Manuokawai is due from Hilo.

Vessels Expected from Foreign Ports.

Am brig Ellenita, Wyatt, to leave San Francisco, Aug. 15. Am clipper bark Messengar Birl, to leave Boston, July 20. Br. bk. Gambia, from London, via Tahiti, sailed April 6 French Frigate Embuscade, from Panama, June 15, via Punta

Br. bark Cynthia, Johnson, from Puret Sound, with lumber to Johnson & Emmes. Sail about July 15

Br. bark Avery, Jelland, from Liverpool May 1st, assorted milze, to R. C. Janion Bre. brig Oahu, Wolde, from Bremen, Ap. 8, associed cargo to Melchers & Co.

IMPORTS. 2 cases alpacea, 41 hf bbis apples, 14 cases axes, 6 auchors, 48 barrel covers, 9 hhds butter, 9 bdls blinds, 55 bbls beef, 164 cs b ots and shoes, 816 brooms, 22 pkgs books, 10 or casks brandy, bitters, 30 casks bread 3,410 pcs boards, 15 pkgs britannia ware, 201 doz nests buckets, I case brushes, I bbl blacking, 80 hf bbls ans, 20 bbls beans, 60 cases chairs, 25 bvs candles, 7 cases coal, 1,429 bills clapboards, 1 case clocks, 3 bis clothing, 11 es clothing, 10 pkgs clothing, 50 qr bxs cod ish, 9 pkgs carriages, 234 pkgs cordage, 1 bbl chalk, 120 cases crackers, 14 cs cheeses, 25 cases cider, 50 bas cider, 50 cs cherry bounce, 5 cs crockery, crockery, 1 box cloves, 157 bolts duck, 361 doors, 86 pkgs drugs, 112 pkgs domestics, 1 bbl epsom salts, 21 bxs furniture, 22 cases (July 13,) that the weather had been very bad, and what few 16 bxs groc.ries, 25 doz gin, 14 hf pipes gin, 1 box grave stones, 115 bxs glass 2 pkgs glassware, 10 bales gunny bags, 5 cases herring, 2 bxs herbs, 2 bales hops, 9 bales hardware, 99 pkgs hardware, 32 bxs hardware, 21 casks bardware, 43 cs hardware, 10 bbls hardway 6 cases hats, 14 half bbls hide poison, 1 box hammers, 2 hhds hams, 13 tes hams, 3 bales hops, 4 hand earts, 24 hoes, 13 bxs iron castings, 36 bdls iron, 60 bars iron, 50 pkgs iron work, 1 cs fron, 1 case japan, 3 pags hamps and trimmings, lead, 1 box lead pipe, 11 reels lead pipe, 6 bbls liquors, 60 kegs liquors, 940 gals linseed oil, 346 kegs white lead, 45 kegs lead, 20 pkgs mis goods, 60 kitts mackerel, 24 bxs monidings, I case melodions, 1 bx machinery, 4 bills mattrasses, 20 bxs medicines, 4 pkgs medicine, 5 bxs mustard, 407 casks nails, 21 pkgs nails, 1 box nutmegs, 254 gals oil, 989 cars, 1 box oysters, 412 bushed eats, 96 ox bows, 50 pairs ox bows, 238 pkgs paints and oil, 30 pkgs paints, 6 kegs paint, 5 cases paints, 15 bbls pitch, 375 pails, 1 box picture and frame, 16 bxs preserves, 27 cs preserves, 1 cs putty, 121 bbl pork, 1 cs piano, 13-baies paper, 1 plough, 407 bxs preserved meats, etc., 1 cs prunes, 1 cs planes, 20 half bxs pipes, 4 hf bbls peas, 4 cs raisins, 24 rakes, 152 calls rope. 11 bbis rice, 66 hf bbls rice, 1 pun rum, 235 rolls rooting felt, 10 pkgs spices, 5 cases sad irons, 72 seives, 1 box straw hats, 17 pkgs stationery, 19 bxs sugar, 30 hf bxs sugar, 62 bbis sugar, 90 hf bbis sugar, 6 bxs starch, 4 cs scales, 2 cs stationery, 3 cs shirts, 11 pkgs saddlery and harness, 6 cs saddles, 19 cs spirits turpentine, 50 cs schnapps, 30 bills sashes, 56 pkgs stoves and cambooses, 4 bdls shades, 19 cs salt, 10 carboys sulphuric acid, 19 cs Stoughton bitters, 15 bdls spades, 400 bdls shingles, 2 kegs shot, 60 shovels, 5 bdls shovels, 5 bxs soap, 8 cs salt, 2 cs sale-ratus, 3 bxs saleratus, 31 bbls tar, 8 bxs tin, 20 bxs tobacco, 22 es tobacco, 10 nests tubs, 2 es umbrellas, 1 es varnish, 31 bbls vinegar, 3 bills willow carriage, 80 cs wine, 20 qr casks wine, 75 doz whiskey, 2,618 gals whiskey, 14 blis windows, 96 wooden

pkgs China provisions, clothing &c., 119 cs boots and shoes, 151 pkgs ass'd groceries, 19 bags corks, 23 cs clgars, 18 bales cotton goods, 65 cs clothing, 19 cs notions and fancy goods, 26 bags barley, 10 bxs tio, 5 bales Panama hats. Value, \$29,169.

EXPORTS.

Puger's Sound-Per brig Glencoe-75 bbls molasses, 10 bbls sugar, 42 kegs do, 207 bags do, 1 case lamps, 7 bags coffee, 40 sherry brandy, 12 cases port wine, 9 cases Scotch whisky, 3 casks brandy, 4 bbls do.

PASSENGERS. FROM BOSTON-Per ship Ceylon-J. B. Dillingham, Miss E. C. Mack, H. L. Chase, Mrs. Bassett, Captain's lady, Miss M. L.

Per Yankee fm S. P .- Mrs. Siders and Child, Mrs. C. C. Nichols, Miss Kate Worth, Capt. James Makee, H. Wenzel, W. Froepe, S. Kennelly, L. F. Banta, E. R. Boyas, G. Barnaul, J. H. Strauss, L. H. Mandlebaum, H. Stangenwald, G. Graves, Atuck, and 11 steerage passengers.

At his residence in Nuuanu Valley, by the Rev. S. C. Damon, Mr. IRA RICHARDSON, to Miss ELIZABETH C. MACK, of Lowell,

DEATHS.

June 25th, at the residence of the Rev. D. B. Lyman, Hilo, EBEN infant son of Capt. Eben H. and Mrs. Louisa Woodh Honolula, Aug. 17th, WILHELM EICKEMEYER, he was born Northeim, kingdom of Hansver, Granny. The deceased rrived a few weeks since, passenger on board the Victoria.

In Honolulu, at U. S. Hospital, Aug. 15th, Mr. Chas. Steamt, an Englishman, and long resident on the islands. nity consider just and proper, if passed in a proper THE PACIFIC

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portion as a man is controlled by them does he rise or refuse to fail down before him?

every act between man and man. public journal. Facts and truth should be the basis began to speak of public men and public reforms. of all statements made, and only in proportion as they It has yet to inquire into the working of our cumberare true, will they carry power and conviction with some Department of Public Instruction, to review them. Before we undertook the publication of this the acts of the Departments of War and Foreign Rejournal, we were fully convinced of this, and we said lations, to look into the Bareau of Public Works 20-Peruvian ship Grimanesa, 40 days from Callao, en route publicly that before we made any statements affect- and to investigate the causes why our treasury is ing persons or things we should first find the facts, empty and our Kingdom on the verge of bankruptcy, and if we made misstatements, our columns should and how far this is owing to the want of some proper always be open to correct them by giving the truth. system of auditing the public accounts.

all our future course.

But there is no charge made in the article against any one. We merely said " that the facts which have come to our knowledge warrant us in the belief." &c. That we had some grounds on which to base our re- "civil, political and religious rights of an Englishmarks was to be presumed. What they were was our "man. * With regard to strictures upon the varieties raised in Chile, the red and white, but this own busiless. In order that the public may judge "characters of men in office and the measures of cargo consists of the latter. We wish that 2000 whether the article was based on any foundation or "latitude must be allowed in the discussion of pubnot, or a mere fabrication as the Minister charges, " lie affairs, or the liberty of press will be no benefit East Mani for seed in place of the poor wheat we have we have procured and publish the following brief re- " to society. As the indulgence of private malace here. Though we have been familiar with wheat port of Mr. Ii's remarks at the meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Sailor's Home on the 8th of August. We did not publish it in our last paper because we .. magistrates should be equally promoted and enhave not pretended to give a report of any of these " couraged. They who conceive that our newsmeetings. We understand that attempts have been "papers are no restraint upon bad men or impedimade on the part of some government officials to attach odium on Mr. Ii for taking the liberty to divulge "ed servility and prostitution, to which the undue what may have transpired in the Privy Council. But " influence of the crown has reduced the other Editors Com. Alvertiser and Palgnesian. that man just have a very soft brain who cannot "branches of the Legislature, our ministers and perceive that Mr. Ii has got as clear a right to say what he did, as the government editor, who in his "the censure of the press and the spirit of resistance more contemporaneous journals at the same time, yet List isshe does the same thing, and that, too, without " which it excites among the people." authority from the council for his acts.

present at the meeting of the Privy Council on the oth he had called on the Governor to inquire about that it was of no use to oppose the measure. That Boston-Per Ceylon-10 packages agricultural implements, some opposition was made when they two conversed reply was Messrs Wyllie and Hopkins. Mr. Ii said also, that had Judge Lee, Judge Andrews and himself candles, 2 pkgs currants, 2 cases chocolate, 1 box citron, 3 casks | been present the vote would not have then been taken, action of the Council wrong. Mr. Ii in his remarks conveyed most distinctly the idea that Mr. Wyllie furniture, 15 pkgs furniture, 68 bbls flour, 20 tranks fancy goods, ing on Tuesday was ormal, the customary notice Mauna Loa. 3 cases fancy goods, 56 bxs flat iron 2 hhels figs, 2 pkgs glue, not having been given to the secretary, though he was present at the Palace on Monday."

There it is in black and white, and to the truth of the above report, we appeal to the twelve or thirteen trustees then present, and who no doubt are willing to testify to it. Now read Mr. Wyllie's third letter to us, in which he charges us with having "defamed and calumniated him." Had Mr. Wyllie made a request for the grounds on which the editorial was based, we should have taken pleasure in furnishing him with it. But instead of pursuing that course, which would have been the more courteous one, he thrusts a furious threat into our face-which we have deemed and still deem insulting and unworthy of a

Minister of our Government. Having made no charge against Mr. Wyllie we have no retraction to make. We have assumed that Mr. Ii, one of our highest judicial officers, made a correct report of the proceedings of the Privy Council, their part, which we most cheerfully do. and we merely said that it "warranted us in the belief" that Mr. Wyllie had taken the part in the matter represented in that report, and as yet we have no evidence that that report was inaccurate. We have SAN FRANCISCO-Per Yankee-100 bxs tea, 2 cs. opium, 105 no means of access to the sayings and doings of that "August Body," and are bound to give full credence to Mr. It's public statement of its proceedings as rerefuted by other and stronger testimony. The public will judge whether or not that report bears us out cases gin, 1 bbl rum, 1 qr cask brandy, 2 qr casks sherry, 10 cs | in the remarks we made and which are now sought to be distorted into a libellous fabrication on our part. Malice or ill-will to Mr. Wyllie, personally, we utpublic that the Governor's report of the proceedings communicating that first to the public: though we suits notwithstanding. cannot see why Mr. Wyllie should consider himself grossly libelled and take serious umbrage at an imagined charge of procuring the passage of a resolution which he and perhaps a majority of the commu-

> We confess that this step undertaken by Mr. Wyllie appears ridiculous not only to us, but to the public. Is he so nervous and sensitive that his acts can bear no public criticism? Does he consider him- FINE CATTLE .- By the clipper ship Ceylon which

seek for credit, he may offer the guarantee of his whether it is the freedom of the press-the dearest of our stock must take pride in them. name, but the party with whom he deals will say, right of which a freeman can boast, that is sought show me his security; and the amount of security de- to be strangled at its birth, whether it is the act of manded will be just in proportion to his known char- an individual minister or of the Government, for If it is necessary between men, it is equally so in a established for the benefit of the people. It has only

And we repeat that the same principles shall govern But if this publication is to be suppressed-if the Government is anxious to make the attempt to By reference to another column of our paper on the muzzle this sheet and gag the free expression of pubfirst page, it will be seen that we have been led in- lic opinion on public servants, then, we say, let the to a correspondence with Mr. Wyllie, in which he contest come now, and the sooner it is decided the charges us with having defamed and calumniated his better. We stand ready for it, and are willing to character in the editorial published in our issue of bear the brunt and be the mark of such tyranny. last week, and in which he has threatened to bring an Sooner than yield we pledge to the public in its deaction for "libel in the first degree" against us and fence the last dollar we may own, and if need be, the a suit for damages. The portion offensive to the Min- last drop of blood that nerves this arm. The Govister, is the last paragraph of the article alluded to. ernment may have on its side the coffers of the The same paragraph has been unwittingly copied in- people's money, and the wealth of its Ministers with to the official organ, as its editor could not see in it which to embark in this dangerous contest, but rest-

"Let it be impressed upon your minds," says Junius in his immortal address to the English people " let it be instilled into your children, that " the liberty of the press is the palladium of all the "Government, the case is different. A considerable bushels of it could be secured for the farmers on " and personal slander should be checked and resist- for years, we have never seen any whiter, nor any " ed by every legal means, so ac onstant examination " into the characters and conduct of ministers and ment to the execution of bad measures, know Alakea street, and two Cottages on the land ad-" nothing of this country. In that state of abandon- joining. " magistrates have, in reality, little punishment to Messas. Earroas: - I believe it is not common for " fear, and few difficulties to contend with, beyond

But if the Government becomes a party in this which I propose to make in your respective papers. "Mr. Ii stated to the Trustees that not having been affair, if it becomes involved in a contest which may destroy the peace of this community, let it not be Ham, brig Emma, Maben, from Hamburg, ass'd cargo to the transaction. His Excel'y the Governor stated to said, when they have gone too far to retrace their all personalities and use of improper or offensive lanhim that the Council hal overturned its decision of steps, that they were not cautioned against it. We last year, that so many of the members were absent would go farther and whisper in the ear of our youthful soveriegn to ponder well the issue before the in English, and the matter was mostly discussed in contest is began. The mighty volcano that slumbers ble to truth and my reasonings according to the im-English, and the vote was taken in English. A trus- under Hawaii is not the only slumbering volcano in mutable principles of justice and right as I under-50 half pipes brandy, 10 kegs brandy, 30 dozen brandy, 10 cases tee inquired who was meant by "they two," and the the king lom, whose pent-up fires may never ignite or burst forth so long as wisdom, moderation and discretion control its ministry, but in the hour of illchains, 21,273 lbs chains, 6 chain tables, 32 casks coal, 30 bbds or the measure so hastily carried, and he could not advised counsel or the arbitrary and tyrannical actsl public for their judgment, nor am I without hope that but hope that when they were all assembled, they of its agents, however high in power, it may burst it may promote the interests of peace to do so. I sinwould reverse the late decision, as he considered the forth in public indignation and wrath that wil sweep with an overwhelming flood as irresistable as was responsible for this measure, and that, the meet- the molten stream that desolates the forests of

NOTES OF THE WEEK.

The arrival of the Yankee last evening with the U. S. mails, has delayed our paper till 12 o'clock, as we wish to give a full abstract of the foreign news.

Last Friday, Aug. 15, was the Anniversary of the be raised for that purpose. The lot upon which the Home now birth of the Emperor Napoleon, and was observed in stands, then belonging to the Government, was thought by some this place with more than usual display. At 8, and 12 o'clock, salutes were fired from the French brig houses licensed for the sale of liquors was thought to be favorable. of war Alcibiade. At two o'clocks return salute was fired from Punchbowl hill. In the evening a select ball was given at the residence of the French

We have been requested by several of the Trustees of the Sailor's Home to state that the editorial in our last issue was published without any knowledge on

ACCIDENT .- We regret to learn that the daughter of Capt. Hobron, met with an accident last week at Makawao, where his family are spending the summer. She was in the sugar mill, and got caught in one of the wheels, which cut off two of her toes.

ported to him by his colleague, till that statement is foreigner who has taken the oath of allegiance to Kamahameka III, owes allegiance to Kamahameha to wait upon the Minister of the Interior and request that no IV. We hope that some of our readers who enjoy more leisure than us, will answer the question and give the authorities.

terly disclaim. We have declared it to be one of our To Advertisers .- We are much encouraged in fundamental principles, to be ready at all times to our enterprise by the very liberal patronage given to correct an error either of fact or opinion when satis- us thus far. Our sheet may prove too small, but we fied that we have committed one, and if Mr. Wyllie shall issue another half sheet or even four extra can addree such proof as will convince us and the pages when forced to do so. Having a large stock of this small paper we shall prefer to keep this size verbally. The statements of what passed are from members of the Committee, and the first written communication is his reply. of the Privy Council as communicated by Associate sheet till we can order a larger size from Boston. Justice Ii was inaccurate and their statements im- Considering our circulation (1000 copies being Board petitioned for such an ordinance as he suggested, which peachable, and that he (Mr. Wyllie) is not really printed weekly,) our terms published on the first responsible for the passage of the Resolution in ques- page, are liberal. During the past week our subtion, we shall have pleasure in being the medium of scription list has been increased 32 copies, libel

> case of the Sch. Liholiho, advertised in our las number. She left the wharf late on Saturday P. M., having 25 horses, about one hundred passengers and a large quantity of freight for Hawaii, and the total receipts from her upward trip must be over \$600. The expense of advertising a coaster is nothing com- another year to its occupant. This seemed quite incredible, but pared with the benefits derived.

-Thurn and honesty are the noblest impulses planted self-perfect? Or is he so vindictive as to visit with arrived on Sunday morning, Capt. Meek received by an all-wise Creator in the human breast. In pro- the vials of his wrath all who like Mordecai the Jew the Durham bull Red Jacket and heifer Ruby, im- which has already been published in your respective Journals. ported by him, Judge Lee and Mr. Allen. They full in the estimation of his fellow-men. Let his word But let not the public be mistaken in this affair. were landed in excellent condition, which is owing in become proverbially equivocal or his acts d'shonest, Let them reflect on the course now being pursued by in any community, civilized or not, and all that he one of His II. Majesty's Ministers, and ask whether Bussett. These cattle are a great acquisition to the pledge to him, that it should not have been enacted, that no injury could result to the Home by the granting of the license as may do or say will bear the stamp of falsity. He may it is merely this publication that is attacked, or Islands, and every one interested in the improvement the distance to other Hotels was but a little greater, and that

We have received from Mr. Castle the fifth annual report of the Hawaiian Missionary Society, will result in other parties. Upon the former, I would remark acter. Truth and honesty should therefore control which he has assumed the championship. This press in pamphlet form. The account of Mr. Smith'st that, if there was a preexisting obligation to Mr. M. the latter one was established to advocate popular rights, it was trip to Fatuhiva is very interesting. It is the same patible with the former to him, but in this case it seems clear to as that which appeared in the Friend a month since. The Treasurer's Report embraces seventeen months, It will be remembered that the purchase was brought to the no to June 1, 1856, from which we learn that the receipts of the Society during that period were The subject was brought to the notice of the Minister and by \$5,126 75.

MEDICAL SOCIETY. - We publish to-day the charter and list of officers of the Hawaiian Medical Society. We recognise among the members as the Association nearly all of our oldest and most successful place of course, could be have advised the Board to petition for practitioners; and among the officers we see ener- ed it, in the face of an implied pledge, even, that had but just getic and public spirited, practical men. If we understand it, it is the object of the Physicians, while could have been utterly impossible to keep, for neither one could be kept without the violation of the others, and could Mr. establishing for their mutual use and reference a Medical Library and Cabinet, to exercise at the same it would not be renewed? The existence, of any pledge, extime, a certain moral influence over the Profession and by requiring suitable professional credentials and a respectable standing as indispensables for admission to membership in their Club, to give to the Public some better criterion, than the often self-assumed title of Doctor, by which to distinguish, at any sudden or inexperienced emergency, who is most reasonably worthy of the precious trust of their anything really libellous, and we suppose the Minising our cause on the public, we shall not flinch from
a while may, so often, entail life long misery upon
the sufferer.

health, which is meanth, which is me health, which if mismanaged or neglected even for

CHILE WHEAT .- Capt. Clough, of the Brig Imperial, has shown us a sample of about 200 tons of white Chile wheat on board of his vessel, which he wishes to dispose of in this market. There are two grain that would compare with this in size.

We would call attention to the real estata

HONOLULU August, 18, 1856. communications to be addressed as original to two or I crave the indulgence of an insertion of the remarks They pertain to the Sailor's Home, which circumstances have brought rather prominently before our community for some little time past. I shall try to avoid guage, knowing that they prejudice rather than benefit the cause they are designed to serve, and are most likely to be wanting in courtesy and kindness. I shall hope to make my statements of facts conformastand them. It is not my purpose to provoke controversy for which I have neither time nor inclination. but being personally acquainted with the facts from the beginning, I wish simply to lay them before the cerely regretted the remarks of the Pacific as far as they were of a personal and private nature, nor could I feel the necessity for the Polynesian holding up a part of the Trustees of the Home as designing men duping the remainder, but I will proceed with my

Attention was first called to the subject of a Sailors Home in Honolulu in November 1854, and a series of public mesoning were held in reference to it. A deep interest was entirted in the object at the time, as one which held out hopes of great good to the Sailors visiting this port, and which would contribute largely to the sobriety and good order of the community.

A Society was formed, a Board of Trustees chosen and a constitution adopted. One of the first objects was to secure a good location for a Home whenever a sufficient amount of funds could to be the best adapted of all others for this purpose if it could be obtained. Its location between the harbor and most of the It was hoped that many Seamen might be attracted thither by its inviting and orderly appearance, and once there, be retained and saved from the debauchery and dissipation too often the result of indulgence in the intoxicating cup.

The Government was memorialized and asked to be stow the lot for this benevolent purpose. It responded most nobly and liberally, by granting the lot. It was one of the noblest of the many noble acts to which his late Majesty lent the weight of his influence. Individual members of the Government lent their personal countenance, and influence, by subscribing according to their ability, and several were efficient members of the Board of Trustees, and no doubt the cheerful co-operation of all was lent to this commendable enterprise.

At a meeting of the Board of Trustees on the 3d day of May

1855 to take preliminary steps for the erection of a building, it was stated by one of their number that a lot had been purchased by a party immediately adjoining the lot granted for a Home, and a hotel in which spirits would be sold was to be erected, thus nterposing such an establishment in one of the greatest thoroughfares between the contemplated Home and the harbor.

There was a unanimous expression of regret by the members of the Board and some were almost prepared to abandon the enterrise, unless something could be done to prevent the opening of such an establishment in such located proximity, and so favor QUERY .- A correspondent asks us, whether a rely to assume the purchaser's liabilities for the land, and his contract for building if already made, ratherthan have his enterlicenses might be granted on the Bethel Square. Responsible members of this Committee stated explicitly to his Royal Highness, that they would assume the purchase of the party who had bought the lot if he desired, so anxious were they that no license should be granted in that location. The Minister stated expressly that a license had been furnished for one year, but that the department was under no obligations to him beyond that period. This was confirmed by his letters of May 8th, to the Hon. G. M. Robertson, Chairman of the Commiltee, and to Mr. Maxey of same date. He also, in the same letter, advised the Trustees to petition the Klag in Council for an Ordinance prohibiting the granting of licenses for the sale of spirits or beer on the Bethel block after the expiration of Mr. Maxey's license.

The communication of the Council to His Highness was made In conformity with the recommendation of the Minister, the was passed by the Council on the 21st of May, and communicated to the Board verbally by Mr. Allen its presiding Officer at its first meeting thereafter; Mr. Allen's connection with both the Privy Council, and Board, probably led to the omission of the formal communication by the former, to the latter, of the Ordinance in writing.

Hence there is nothing but the record of the verbal report of Mr. Allen, in the minutes of the Board, but the Board, and we The benefits of advertising may be seen in the presume the Government, regarded it as none the less authentic on account of its informal communication.

Upon these assurances the Trascess rested with implicit cond-dence; and without suspicion, as they had been accustomed to to, in other transactions, and in other capacities, upon the plighted faith of the Government. More than a year elapsed, when their attention was directed to the fact that the sale of spirituous liquors was still continued at the Hotel and the Ropour that a license had been or was about being granted for adopted and a committee appointed to present it. They attended to the duty assigned them, and subsequent to this, the Privy Council repealed the ordinance of May 21, 1855, prehibiting the granting of licenses on the Bethel Square, and Mr. Maxey's license was renewed for another year.

In his reply the Minister states that there was a prior obliga-tion to Mr. Maxey, upon the faith, of which he had made his investments, that to deny his application for a license would be to ruin him, and that the ordinance of May 21st, was, really, void the power to revoke its own ordinances was vested in the council when other parties were not prejudiced thereby. The main positions to be noticed in this reply are the pri obligation to Mr. Maxey and the inherent power of the Council to annul its own ordinances, when no prejudice in its opinion

me from the facts stated that the Council was in error, that there was no expressed or even implied pledge to Mr. Maxey. tice of the Trustees soon after it was made, and before a stroke was struck on the Home or the Hotel towards their erection. his advice before the Council without delay,. The Minister as sured both the Board of Trustees and Mr. Maxey that after July 1856, no license would be granted on Bethel Square and to make assurance doubly sure the Council passed an ordinance to the same effect. Now could the Minister state to the Committee of the Trustees, that the department would be under no obligation to Mr. M. after the close of the year, could he by his clerk have assured Mr. M. he would not be again licensed, in that an ordinance, such as he did, and could the Council have enactbeen assumed of a directly contrary character and both of which M. have had any reasonable expectation of a renewal of his license directly in the face of the assurance of the Minister that it would not be press, or implied to Mr. M. so at variance with the whole tend of these official and public acts, within the compass of a few days is incredible. It would argue a duplicity of which I be lieve the Government to be utterly incapable. Then at that time I cannot believe the Government had any more purpose of renewing its license than the Trustees had expectation that it would be renewed, nor had he any reason to expect it. But in the recent Council I cannot believe that all of the facts in the order of occurrence, and their bearing, were present to the minds of the members, or such action would not have been

If the failure to get out a license would have been a hardshift to Mr. Maxey, it should be remembered that the assurance him that his license on Bethel Square would not be renewed,